

Commodores Regatta

June 24, 2023 Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club Monterey, CA

NOTICE OF RACE

1. BACKGROUND

1.1. The Regatta conceived by T. Arnold Smith honors the past Commodores whose hard work and dedication helped build the Club.

2. RULES

2.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1. The regatta is open to boats owned by MPYC members.

3.2. Entries shall be made online, using Regatta Network at this link https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/26690 if not already registered for the Specialty Races.

4. FEES

4.1. Entry fees are specified in Regatta Network at the link in 3.2. For boats not signed up for Specialty Races, a fee of \$35 for the combined Saturday and Sunday races will apply.

5. BOATS

- 5.1. The regatta will be sailed in boats with valid PHRF ratings issued by the Monterey Bay PHRF Committee. See for Monterey Bay PHRF application.
- 5.2. For Shields and Santana 22's a standardized PHRF rating of 174 and 240 (Santana 22 with spinnaker) would apply respectively provided these entries meet their One Design Class Requirements. Boats with modifications or sails not meeting the Shields or Santana One Design Requirements will require a PHRF certificate.
- 5.3. Cruising yachts and other boats without a PHRF certificates or ratings may sail the course, but will not be scored. These boats may be started simultaneously as determined by the Race Committee.

6. SCHEDULE

6.1. The first warning signal for the start of the race will be at 11:55 PDT on Saturday, June 24, 2023. All boats will start at the same time.

7. COURSE

7.1. The 13.13 nautical mile course will start between MY1 buoy and an orange flag flying from a race committee boat, passing in a clockwise direction Mile (MY2), MY3 and MY4 and then again around MY1, Mile (MY2), MY3 and MY4 all to starboard and finishing between MPYC "X" buoy on Starboard and the flagpole on the roof of the MPYC club house.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

8.1. The 2023 Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club (MPYC) Sailing Instructions will apply.

9. SCORING

- 9.1. Scoring will be in accordance with the 2023 MPYC Sailing Instructions.
- 9.2 Shields and Santana 22's will be scored in B Fleet unless three or more boats of either fleet compete, in which case they could be scored by their class.

10. PRIZES

10.1. The names of the winning boats in each fleet will be engraved on the Commodores Regatta Perpetual trophy. Under the discretion of Race Chair and Race Committee, prizes will also be awarded to the first, second and third place finishes in each fleet.

11. DISCLAIMER AND LIABILITY

11.1. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.